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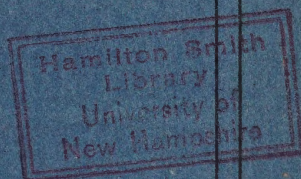
TOWN OFFICERS

OF

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING

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LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

HORATIO W. HATCH

Selectmen

JAMES F. PERKINS

ROBERT CARPENTER

GEORGE F. GEE

Treasurer

HORATIO W. HATCH

Overseer of Poor

ROY D. HUNTLEY

Road Agent

ROY D. HUNTLEY

Sexton

LUCIAN D. TINKER

Supervisors of Check List

GEORGE A. CAREY

GEORGE N. WRIGHT

SIDNEY O. DAVIS

Auditor

GEORGE N. WRIGHT

Ballot Inspectors

GEORGE B. SUTHERLAND

ARTHUR J. HAYES

JOHN A. HOWE

CHARLES M. ELLIOTT

Moderator

WARREN M. DAVIS

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Marlow qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Jones Hall in said town, on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a town clerk for the year ensuing.

Article 2. To choose a selectman for the year ensuing.

Article 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of the poor.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid for highways and raise money for the same.

Article 6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of trunk lines and state aid work.

Article 7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for repairs of highways and bridges.

Article 8. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the town library.

Article 9. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 10. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the observance of Old Home Day.

Article 11. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges and apply on town debt.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to paint Jones Hall and raise money for the same.

Article 13. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising money for the control of the White Pine Blister Rust.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money by temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.

Article 15. To bring in your votes for election of delegates at large, alternate delegates at large, district delegates, alternate district delegates, to the national conventions of the Democratic and Republican parties, to be held for the purpose of nominating party candidates for president and vice-president of the United States.

Article 16. To see what action the town will take in regard to purchasing new fire apparatus, and to raise money for the same.

Article 17. To hear the reports of officers, agents or committees heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands at said Marlow this 21st day of February, 1924.

JAMES F. PERKINS,

GEORGE F. GEE,

Selectmen of Marlow.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JAMES F. PERKINS,

GEORGE F. GEE,

Selectmen of Marlow.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR
THE ENSUING YEAR, FEB. 1, 1924, TO JAN. 31, 1925
COMPARED WITH
ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PRE-
VIOUS YEAR, FEB. 1, 1923, TO JAN. 31, 1924

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual revenue previous year 1923	Estimated revenue ensuing year 1924	Increase
From state:			
Savings bank tax,	\$230 29	\$230 29	
For highways:			
(a) For state aid maintenance,	58 67	92 78	20 00
(b) For trunk line maintenance,	3,715 12	6,812 76	3,097 64
From local sources except taxes:			
Rent of town hall and other buildings,	39 00	39 00	
Interest received on taxes and deposits,	66 08	70 00	3 92
Swanzy, paint,	48 95		
Motor vehicle permits,	329 64	340 00	10 36

	Actual revenue previous year 1923	Estimated revenue ensuing year 1924	Increase
School treasurer,	35 00		
Sexton,	10 00		
From other taxes except property taxes:			
(a) National bank stock,	57 00	51 00	*6 00
(b) Poll tax,	907 00	1,000 00	93 00
(c) Dog license,	107 20	107 20	
Insurance adjustments,	60 58		
Amount raised by issue of bonds or notes:			
Keene National Bank,	4,500 00	4,000 00	*500 00
Revenue which must be paid to other governmental divisions:			
Reed trust fund,	300 00		
Total revenues from all sources			
except property taxes:	\$10,472 53		
Amount raised by property taxes:	9,011 63	9,000 00	
Total revenues,	\$19,484	19\$22,743 03	

*Decrease.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expenditures previous year 1923	Estimated Expenditures ensuing year 1924	Increase	Decrease
Current maintenance expenses:				
General government:				
Town officers' salaries,	\$410 00	\$410 00		
Town officers' expenses,	171 80	171 80		
Election and registration expenses,	49 85	49 85		
Care and supplies for town hall,	141 94	350 00	209 06	
Protection of persons and property:				
Police department,	37 65	50 00	12 35	
Fire department,	66 10	10 01		56 09
Health:				
Health department,	34 28	34 28		
Vital statistics,	3 60	3 60		
Highway and bridges:				
State aid maintenance:				
State's contribution,	58 67	92 78		
Town's contribution,	58 68	92 78		
Trunk line maintenance:				
State's contribution,	7,242 74	6,818 76		
Town's contribution,	1,572 02	1,515 28		
Town maintenance,	3,284 42	2,000 00		
Street lighting,	330 00	330 00		
General expense of highway department,	17 30			

	Actual Expenditures previous year 1923	Estimated Expenditures ensuing year 1924	Increase	Decrease
Education:				
Libraries,	95 81	75 00		20 81
Charities:				
Town poor,	59 29	50 00		9 29
Patriotic purposes:				
Memorial Day and other celebrations,	35 25	20 00		15 25
Public service enterprises:				
Cemeteries,	27 70	25 00		2 70
Interest:				
On temporary loans,	135 00	135 00		
On long term notes,	135 00	135 00		
On principal of trust funds used by town,	83 34	83 34		
Indebtedness:				
Payment on principal of debt:				
(a) Bonds,	4,500 00	4,500 00		
(c) To restore trust funds,	300 00			
Payments to other governmental divisions:				
State taxes,	940 50	940 50		
County taxes,	524 68	524 68		
Payments to school districts,	2,435 00	2,400 00		
Dog license,	81 00	107 20		
Total expenditures,	\$19,411 95	\$21,024 26		

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Real estate,	\$237,258 00
117 horses,	9,294 00
3 asses,	60 00
8 oxen,	800 00
135 cows,	6,994 00
25 neat,	964 00
16 sheep,	108 00
3 hogs,	100 00
Fowls,	200 00
Vehicles,	360 00
Portable mills,	1,170 00
Wood and timber,	15,644 00
Money at interest,	2,110 00
Stock in trade,	15,750 00
Mills and machinery,	26,600 00
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Total valuation,	\$317,412 00
Exempt by town,	32,000 00
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Taxable valuation,	\$285,412 00
Soldiers' exemptions,	\$2,620 00
Rate, \$3.08 on \$100.00.	

TAXES ASSESSED

Town tax,	\$2,500 00
School tax,	2,400 00
Highway tax,	1,800 00
Library tax,	20 00
State tax,	586 50
County tax,	524 68

State aid for highways,	468 00
Maintenance of trunk line highways,	1,400 00
Overlay,	64 51

\$9,763 69

Poll taxes, 11 @ \$3.00,	\$33 00
Poll taxes, 188 @ \$5.00,	940 00

\$973 00

Property tax,	\$8,790 69
Non-resident valuation,	\$105,152 00
Resident valuation,	212,260 00

ABSTRACT RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1923,	\$249 28
Cash received during year,	19,484 19

\$19,733 47

ABSTRACT EXPENDITURES

Paid out during year,	\$19,411 95
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1924,	321 52

\$19,733 47

ASSETS

Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1924,	\$321 52
Due from state, balance of joint fund, for maintenance of state aid roads,	72 78
Due from state, balance of joint fund, for maintenance of trunk line roads,	293 76
Due from state, balance of joint fund for construction of state aid roads,	308 31

Taxes not collected:

(a) Levy of 1918, J. A. Ayer, collector, \$28 59

(b) Levy of 1919, J. A. Ayer, collector, 171 52	
(c) Levy of 1920, J. A. Ayer, collector, 389 79	
(d) Levy of 1921, J. A. Ayer, collector, 719 86	
(e) Levy of 1923, A. W. Phelps, collector,	1,191 73
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Total of outstanding taxes,	\$2,501 49
Due from patients, emergency hospital,	\$383 42
Due from county,	29 29
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Total assets,	\$4,015 17
Excess of liabilities over assets,	3,276 54
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	\$7,291 71

LIABILITIES

Unpaid balances set aside for special purposes:	
Due fire precinct,	\$10 01
Due school, dog license,	107 20
Due library,	20 00
 Balance of joint fund for maintenance of state aid road:	
In town treasury,	\$72 78
In state treasury,	72 78
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	\$145 56
 Balance of joint fund for maintenance of trunk line roads:	
In town treasury,	\$65 28
In state treasury,	293 76
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	\$359 04
 Balance of joint fund for construction of state aid roads:	
In town treasury,	\$513 84

In state treasury,	822 15	
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Notes outstanding:		
Marian G. Perkins note, dated Feb. 15, 1912,	\$1,000 00	
Francina C. Towne note, dated Aug. 1, 1912,	1,000 00	
Francina C. Towne note, dated Jan. 15, 1913,	1,000 00	
Trustees of trust funds, note for school fund,	1,005 25	
Trustees of trust funds, note for legacy of Asa Way,	447 50	
Trustees of trust funds, note for Maria A. Giffin fund,	500 00	
Trustees of trust funds, note for Washburn Booth fund,	100 00	
Trustees of trust funds, note for Edgar D. Shepardson fund,	150 00	
Trustee of trust funds, note for Mary E. Howe fund,	125 00	
Keene National Bank,	500 00	
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Total liabilities,		\$7,291 71

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1. Jones hall,	\$4,500 00
Fixtures and equipment,	300 00
2. Library furniture and equipment,	1,000 00
3. Police department equipment,	10 00
4. Fire department apparatus,	400 00
5. Highway department equipment,	150 00
6. Storage building,	40 00

SUMMARY RECEIPTS

From local taxes:

Property taxes committed to collector,	\$8,790 69
Less abatements,	34 07
Less uncollected,	1,191 73

1. Property taxes current year collected,	\$7,564 89
2. Poll taxes current year collected @ \$3.00,	27 00
3. Poll taxes current year collected, @ \$5.00,	880 00
4. Property and poll taxes previous years collected,	1,446 77
5. National Bank stock tax,	57 00

Total of above collections,	\$9,975 66
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From state:

6. For highways:

(a) For state aid maintenance,	\$58 67
(b) For trunk line maintenance,	3,715 12
9. Savings bank tax,	230 29

\$4,004 08

From local sources except taxes:

16. Dog licenses,	\$107 20
19. Rent of Jones hall,	39 00
20. Interest received on taxes,	66 08
26. Permits for registration of motor vehicles,	329 64
27. Town of Swanzey, paint,	48 95
28. From school treasurer,	35 00
29. From sexton, lot for Hubbard,	10 00

\$635 87

Receipts other than current revenue:

30. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$4,500 00	
32. Insurance adjustments	68 58	
35. George E. Reed, trust fund	300 00	
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		\$4,868 58
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Total receipts during year		\$19,484 19
Cash on hand at beginning of year		249 28
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Grand total,		\$19,733 47

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

General government:

1. Town officers' salaries,	\$410 00	
2. Town officers' expenses,	171 80	
3. Election and registration expenses,	49 85	
5. Expenses of town hall,	141 94	
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		\$773 59

Protection of persons and property:

6. Police department including care of tramps,	\$37 65	
7. Fire department,	66 10	
9. Bounties,	104 60	
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		\$208 35

Health:

11. Health department,	\$34 28	
12. Vital statistics,	3 60	
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		\$37 88

Highways and bridges:

14. State aid maintenance,	\$117 35	
15. Trunk line maintenance,	5,287 14	
16. Town maintenance,	3,284 42	
17. Street lighting,	330 00	
18. General expenses of highway department,	17 30	
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Libraries:

19. Town library,		\$95 81
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Charities:

20. Town poor,	\$30 00	
21. County poor,	29 29	
	<hr/>	\$59 29

Patriotic purposes:

22. Memorial Day,	\$35 25	
23. Old Home Day,	15 85	
	<hr/>	\$51 10

Public service enterprises:

27. Cemeteries,		\$27 70
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Interest:

31. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$122 50	
33. Paid on long term notes,	135 00	
35. Paid on principle of trust funds used by town,	83 34	
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Indebtedness:

44. Payments on temporary loans in anti-		
pation of taxes,	\$4,500	00
48. Payments to trustees, trust funds,	300	00
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		\$4,800 00
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
50. Taxes paid to state,	\$940	50
51. Taxes paid to county,	524	68
52. Payments to school district,	2,516	00
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		\$3,981 18
Total payments for all purposes,	\$19,411	95
Cash on hand,	321	52
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Grand total,	\$19,733	47

DETAILED STATEMENT, RECEIPTS

From local taxes:

Detail 1. Property taxes current year,		
A. W. Phelps, collector,	\$7,621	89
Detail 2. Poll tax current year, @ \$3.00,	27	00
Detail 3. Poll taxes current year @ \$5.00,	880	00
Detail 4. Property and poll taxes pre-		
vious years,	1,446	77
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Total of above collections,	\$9,975	66

From state:

Detail 5. For highways:		
(a) State aid maintenance,	\$58	67
(b) Trunk line maintenance,	3,715	12

Detail 9. Savings bank tax,	230 29	
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		\$4,004 08
From local sources except taxes:		
Detail 16. Dog licenses, H. W. Hatch, town clerk, (see report),		\$107 20
Rent of town hall:		
Detail 19. George F. Gee, janitor,	\$39 00	
Detail 20. Interest received on taxes,	66 08	
Detail 26. Permits for registration of mo- tor vehicles, W. W. Hatch, town clerk,	329 64	
Detail 27. Town Swanzey, paint,	48 95	
Detail 28. From school treasurer,	35 00	
Detail 29. From sexton,	10 00	
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		\$528 67

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE

Detail 30. Temorary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$4,500 00	
Detail 32. Insurance adjustments,	68 58	
Detail 35. George E. Reed, trust fund,	300 00	
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		\$4,868 58
Total receipts during year,		<hr/>
		\$19,484 19

DETAILED STATEMENT, PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Town officers' salaries:		
Selectman, James F. Perkins,	\$90 00	
Selectman, Robert Carpenter,	70 00	
Selectman, George F. Gee,	70 00	

Clerk, Horatio W. Hatch,	30 00
Treasurer, Horatio W. Hatch,	45 00
Tax collector, Albert W. Phelps,	100 00
Auditor, George N. Wright,	5 00

\$410 00

Detail 2. Town officers' expenses:

Mason Insurance Agency, officers' bonds,	\$26 00
Edson C. Eastman Co., order blanks,	6 11
J. F. Perkins, postage, envelopes and tax books,	8 04
E. A. Murdough, team to tax commissioner,	6 00
W. M. Davis, tally board,	1 50
W. P. Farmer, dues to Tax Assessors Association,	2 00
Sentinel Printing Co., town reports,	108 00
Spalter's Book Store, tax book, 1922,	2 31
H. W. Hatch, expenses,	11 84

\$171 80

Detail 3. Election and registration expenses:

Sentinel Printing Co., check lists,	\$13 85
George N. Wright, supervisor,	5 00
George A. Corey, supervisor,	5 00
Sidney O. Davis, supervisor,	5 00
Warren M. Davis, moderator,	5 00
Arthur J. Hayes, ballot inspector,	4 00
Charles M. Elliot, ballot inspector,	4 00
George H. Sutherland, ballot inspector,	4 00
John A. Howe, ballot inspector,	4 00

\$49 85

Detail 4. Expenses Jones hall:

L. S. Watson Mfg. Co., lights,	\$18 00
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Geo. F. Gee, register,	5 60
Geo. F. Gee, tuning piano,	3 50
Stanley Sawyer, sawing wood,	3 00
Collector internal revenue, tax,	1 89
Geo F. Gee, sawing and splitting wood,	2 95
Geo. F. Gee, janitor,	10 00
L. S. Watson Mfg. Co., lumber,	9 10
A. B. Palmer, insurance,	88 00

\$141 94

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Detail 6. Police department including care of tramps:

William P. Johnson, police,	\$15 00
J. F. Perkins, supplies for tramp house,	3 65
W. H. Perkins, care of tramps,	15 00
Leona C. Howard,	4 00

\$37 65

Detail 7. Fire department:

City of Keene, firemen,	\$39 00
American LaFrance Co., nozzle,	19 00
P. E. Fox, pails,	8 10

\$66 10

Detail 9. Bounties:

J. F. Perkins, bobcats,	\$80 00
J. F. Perkins, hedgehogs, 123,	24 60

\$104 60

Detail 11. Health department:

Bullard & Shedd, fumigators,	\$3 68
H. W. Hatch, compensation,	10 00
Bullard & Shedd, fumigators,	5 60

H. W. Hatch, salary,	5 00	
H. W. Hatch, compensation,	10 00	
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		\$34 28
Detail 12. Vital statistics:		
H. W. Hatch, reporting,		\$3 60

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Detail 14. State aid maintenance:

State and town joint account:

	Bal. 1922	Appro. 1923	Total
State's contribution,	\$31 45	\$100 00	\$131 45
Town's contribution,	31 46	100 00	131 46
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Total joint fund,			\$262 91
Expended by H. C. Mosher,			\$117 35
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Balance Jan. 31, 1924,			\$145 56
In town treasury,		\$72 78	
In state treasury,		72 78	
Paid by state to town,		58 67	

Detail 15. Trunk line maintenance:

State and town joint fund:

	Bal. 1922	Appro. 1923	Total
State contribution,	\$1,686 50	\$5,850 00	\$7,536 50
Town contribution,	337 30	1,300 00	1,637 30
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Total joint fund,			\$9,173 80
Expended by A. E. Meader,		\$83 44	
Expended H. E. Mosher,		838 48	
Expended by D. R. Winham,		998 71	
Expended by F. G. Huntley,		1,843 58	

Expended by G. C. Lewis,	1,522 93	
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Total expended by town,		\$5,287 14
Expended by state,		3,527 62
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Total expenditures,		\$8,814 76
Balance Jan. 31, 1924,		\$356 04
In town treasury,	\$65 28	
In state treasury,	293 76	
Paid by state to town,	3,715 12	
Detail 16. Town maintenance:		
Roy D. Huntley, agent, see report,	\$1,939 52	
Selectmen, see report,	1,344 90	
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		\$3,284 42
Detail 17. Street lighting:		
L. S. Watson Mfg. Co.,		\$330 00
Detail 19. Libraries:		
Addie G. Tinker, librarian,	\$52 00	
Repairs on library,	43 81	
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		\$95 81
Detail 20. Town poor:		
Roy D. Huntley, see report,		\$30 00
Detail 21. County poor:		
Roy D. Huntley, see report,		\$29 29

RECREATION

Detail 24. Old Home Day:		
Sarah E. Phelps, expenses,		\$15 85

Detail 25. Memorial Day:
Ellis Bros., flowers, \$35 25

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Detail 27. Cemeteries:
L. D. Tinker, sexton, see report, \$27 70

INTEREST

Detail 32. Paid on temporary loans:
Keene National Bank, \$122 50

Detail 33. Paid on long term notes,
Marian G. Perkins, interest to Feb. 15, 1924, \$45 00
Francina C. Towne, interest to Feb. 15, 1924, 45 00
Francina C. Towne, interest to Feb. 15, 1924, 45 00

\$135 00

Detail 35. Paid on principle of trust funds
used by town:

G. F. Gee, trustee, school fund,	\$35 18
G. F. Gee, trustee, legacy Asa Way,	15 66
G. F. Gee, trustee, Maria A. Giffin fund,	17 50
G. F. Gee, trustee, Washburn-Booth fund,	4 00
G. F. Gee, trustee, Shepardson fund,	6 00
G. F. Gee, trustee, Mary E. Howe fund,	5 00
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	\$83 34

OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS

Detail 36. Highways and bridges:
State aid construction, joint fund:

	Bal. 1922	Appro. 1923	Total
State contribution,	\$27 51	\$280 80	\$308 31
Town contribution,	45 84	468 00	513 84
Total joint fund,			<hr/> \$822 15

INDEBTEDNESS

Detail 44. Paid on temporary loans:	
Keene National Bank,	\$4,500 00
Geo. F. Gee, trustee, Reed trust fund,	300 00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Detail 50. Taxes paid to state:	
State tax,	\$586 50
On poll taxes,	354 00
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	\$940 50

Detail 51. Taxes paid to county:	
County tax,	\$524 68

Detail 53. Payment to school district:	
School money assessed,	\$2,400 00
Dog licenses,	81 00
Tuition, spring 1922,	35 00
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	\$2,516 00

Total payments for all purposes,	\$19,411 95
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1924,	321 52
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	\$19,733 47

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES F. PERKINS,
ROBERT CARPENTER,
GEO. F. GEE,

Selectmen of Marlow.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Town clerk in account with Motor Vehicle Permits of year
ending Dec. 31, 1923.

A. W. Phelps,	\$3 57
W. H. Perkins,	2 20
M. Breed,	2 63
W. H. Campbell,	8 45
Nichols & Newton,	3 78
James F. Perkins,	2 50
Fred G. Huntley,	11 56
Irene L. Huntley,	5 20
C. R. Andrews,	3 00
Elgin L. Russell,	2 63
D. W. Bridgham,	29 67
Elizabeth F. Bridgham,	29 88
L. S. Watson Mfg. Co.,	3 00
E. L. Britton,	3 08
Alice J. Britton,	3 57
Karl F. Huntley,	3 08
Wm. L. Schmidt,	2 25
Arthur J. Hayes,	2 45
Stanley Roberts,	1 95
George H. Sutherland,	3 57
George A. Corey,	3 13
Burton F. Strickland,	2 45
Chester E. Sweeney,	2 63
L. A. Saltzgiver,	2 45
Leslie Sweeney,	4 00
Clarence H. Mosher,	5 25

Charles F. Miller,	7 48
Fred G. Huntley,	2 75
Harry D. Newton,	7 48
Sidney O. Davis,	2 50
F. H. Champney,	1 80
George C. Lewis,	1 73
J. E. Dillant,	7 31
George W. Webster,	6 63
Charles W. Kendall,	2 20
Archie C. Mosher,	6 45
Fred G. Huntley,	6 70
J. F. Perkins,	2 75
Don F. Champney,	2 63
William P. Johnson,	3 50
Robert Carpenter,	3 45
John J. Champney,	9 35
Ivan F. Huntley,	2 20
Don F. Champney,	2 75
A. O. Jensen,	2 45
F. P. Whittemore,	2 45
Chester E. Sweeney,	3 70
Addie G. Tinker,	5 33
Elmer A. Grover,	5 25
Clarence H. Mosher,	0 00
Irene L. Huntley,	22 40
Perley H. Champney,	2 75
Earl F. Champney,	8 93
Arthur J. Hayes,	1 93
Bertha L. Davis,	2 20
Burton F. Strickland,	0 00
Leon O. Blake,	5 95
J. F. Perkins,	3 52
Elmer A. Trover,	0 00
Claude H. Braley,	5 82

E. L. Britton,	9 73
J. E. Dillant,	13 81
George C. Lewis,	13 81
Nichols & Newton,	5 34
Arthur J. Hayes,	2 25
C. F. Miller,	1 65
George A. Corey,	0 02
Fred G. Huntley,	0 01
Leslie Sweeney,	0 00

\$346 89

Less clerk's fee for collecting, 17 25

Paid into town treasury, \$329 64

Respectfully submitted,

HORATIO W. HATCH,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Horatio W. Hatch, town clerk, in account with dog licenses.

Number of dogs reported,	50
Number of dogs removed or destroyed,	4
Number of dogs not licensed,	3
	<hr/> 43

DEBIT

Licenses of 38 dogs at \$2.00,	\$76 00
Licenses of 5 females at \$5.00,	25 00
Forbes & Hatch, kennel license,	15 00
	<hr/> \$116 00

CREDIT

Total receipts,	\$116 00
Less fee for collection, 44 @ \$.20,	8 80
	<hr/> \$107 20

HORATIO W. HATCH,
Town Clerk.

State of New Hampshire,
Cheshire, ss.

Personally appeared Horatio W. Hatch, clerk of the town of Marlow, who made oath that the above by him signed is true.

Before me,
Marlow, N. H., Feb. 15, 1924.

W. H. PERKINS,
Justice of Peace.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1923,	\$249 28
A. W. Phelps, on acct., taxes of 1922,	1,381 69
A. W. Phelps, on acct., taxes of 1923,	8,532 82
Town clerk, on acct., dog licenses,	107 20
Town clerk, on acct., motor vehicle permits,	329 64
George F. Gee, rent of Jones hall,	39 00
Town of Swanzey for paint,	48 95
Insurance on town library,	40 00
Insurance on Jones hall,	28 58
Reed cemetery trust fund,	300 00
State Highway Department,	3,773 79
L. D. Tinker, Hubbard cemetery lot,	10 00
John A. Ayer, taxes of 1918,	34 00
John A. Ayer, taxes of 1920, ,	38 16
John A. Ayer, interest on taxes of 1920,	8 30
John A. Ayer, taxes of 1921,	40 14
John A. Ayer, interest on taxes of 1921,	6 63
Keene National Bank, temporary loans,	4,500 00
Flora C. Elliot, treasurer,	35 00
Savings bank tax,	230 29
	<hr/> \$19,733 47
Paid out on town orders,	19,411 95
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Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1924,	\$321 52

Respectfully submitted,

HORATIO W. HATCH,
Treasurer.

ROAD AGENTS' REPORT

APRIL

R. D. Huntley, agent, 97 hours,	\$43 11
R. D. Huntley, man and team, 108 hours,	78 84
E. W. French, 88 hours,	30 80
Charlie Winham, 9 hours,	3 50
Milan Miller, 78 hours,	27 30
Milan Miller and team, 22 hours,	16 06
Roy Forbes, 40½ hours,	20 25
Henry Dodge and team, 4½ hours,	3 28
Don Champney, 42 hours,	14 70

\$237 84

MAY

R. D. Huntley, agent, 176 hours,	\$78 23
R. D. Huntley, man and team, 102 hours,	74 46
E. A. Murdough, and team, 96 hours,	69 08
E. W. French, 141 hours,	49 35
David Marquis and team, 122 hours,	89 06
Clifford Whittemore, 104 hours,	36 40
Jay Allen, 22 hours,	7 70
F. P. Whittemore, 95 hours,	33 25
Rob Bolio, 78 hours,	27 30

\$464 83

JUNE

R. D. Huntley, agent, 225 hours,	100 00
R. D. Huntley's man and team, 105 hours,	76 65
E. A. Murdough and team, 81 hours,	59 13
David Marquis and team, 134 hours,	97 82
E. W. French, 177 hours,	61 95

Rob Bolio, 45 hours,	15 75
Clifford Whittemore, 80 hours,	28 00
Clifford Stoddard, 45 hours,	15 75
Ed Farnsworth, 126 hours,	44 10
John Howe, 18 hours,	6 30
F. P. Whittemore, 126 hours,	44 10
Fred Billings, 45 hours,	15 75
W. A. Hodge, 19 hours,	6 65
F. C. Hodge, 45 hours,	15 75
Charlie Winham, 72 hours,	24 20
David Marquis, 45 hours,	15 75
Fred Murdough, 27 hours,	9 45
John Karona, 10 hours,	3 50
Geo. Turner and team, 9 hours,	6 50
Geo. Turner, man, 5 hours,	1 75
O. C. Carpenter and team, 9 hours,	6 50

\$655 35

JULY

R. D. Huntley, agent, 36 hours,	16 00
R. D. Huntley, man and team, 27 hours,	19 50
David Marquis and team, 36 hours,	26 00
E. W. French, 36 hours,	12 60
Fred Murdough, 27 hours,	9 45
Elmer Bates, 25 hours,	8 75

\$92 30

AUGUST

R. D. Huntley, agent, 19 hours,	8 45
R. D. Huntley, man and team, 19 hours,	13 87
E. W. French, 4 hours,	1 40
O. C. Carpenter, 2 hours,	70

\$24 42

MATERIAL

O. C. Carpenter, bolts and lumber,	1 00
Roy Forbes, blacksmith's bill and lumber.	4 40
P. E. Fox, 5 spades,	4 05
Spencer Hardware Co., paint,	7 25
Knowlton & Stone, hardware,	3 00
C. R. Andrews,	12 55
P. E. Fox, spades and spikes,	7 10
F. C. Hopkins, lumber,	383 26
Good Roads Machinery Co., scraper blade,	14 50
Edith Pitcher, gravel,	19 50
R. D. Huntley, express,	1 07
R. D. Huntley, oil,	60
Overdrawn account,	6 52

 \$464 80

Total expenditures, by R. D. Huntley, \$1,939 52

We wish to thank Arthur L. Wright for his very liberal donation of \$300 in addition to the above amount, to be expended for graveling on the East Road near school house no. 3. By this means we were able to repair one piece of road in proper shape.

Respectfully submitted,

ROY D. HUNTLEY,

Road Agent.

The following amounts were expended by the order of the selectmen:

W. M. Davis, Miller bridge,	\$511 86
Filling Dickenson canal,	139 80
Repairing town fence,	53 76
Scrapping Alstead road,	15 25
J. E. Dillant, scrapping road,	13 00
Stringers for Miller bridge,	42 50
F. C. Hopkins, lumber,	84 48

PAID FOR BREAKING ROADS

WINTER 1923-24

Leon Davis,	\$8 00
Roy D. Huntley,	31 92
Edgar Murdough,	13 00
George Turner,	8 50
J. E. Dillant,	11 66
C. M. Elliott,	4 00
O. C. Huntley,	28 66
K. F. Huntley,	26 33
L. D. Tinker,	7 66
Gerald & Stevens,	16 56
R. D. Huntley,	30 06
J. A. Ayer,	29 18
L. A. Saltzgiver,	46 32
Jay Allen,	28 67
Chester Sweeney,	19 84
Leslie Sweeney,	10 51
Albert Bourette,	2 34
John Karona,	16 00
J. F. Perkins,	2 00
W. M. Davis,	1 00
Geo. F. Gee,	4 83
O. C. Huntley & Son,	76 32
Geo. A. Corey,	10 20
Earl Champney,	6 66
Arthur Hayes,	1 00
Feuer Bros.,	11 53
Leon Davis,	4 50
W. C. Russell,	8 00
L. D. Tinker,	8 00
C. M. Elliott,	8 00
Leon Davis,	3 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,344 90

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

AID RENDERED COUNTY PAUPERS, APRIL TERM COURT

E. J. Young, care of self,	\$130 00
Received from county,	130 00

OCTOBER TERM OF COURT

E. J. Young, care of self,	\$117 00
Received from county,	117 00

H. G. Williams, medical attendance,	\$14 00
Paid by town order,	14 00
Due from county,	14 00

Aid rendered Winifred Bourette, Nichols & Newton,	\$15 29
Paid by town order,	15 29
Due from county,	15 29

R. D. Huntley, services as overseer,	\$20 00
R. D. Huntley, expenses,	10 00
Paid by town order,	30 00

Respectfully submitted,

R. D. HUNTLEY,
Overseer of Poor.

REPORT OF SEXTON

DEATHS IN TOWN

George A. Petts
 Harry W. Orr
 Sara J. Bennett
 Francis E. Champney
 Eunice I. Young
 Adaline G. Carey

BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL

Jennie E. Brown
 Hannah F. Tyler
 Florence E. Hubbard
 Lizzie (Craig) Miller
 Edward R. Baine

LABOR ACCOUNT

Cutting grass in cemetery,	\$25 00
Received on town order,	25 00

LEGACY OF JACOB FOSTER

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Keene on Oct. 27, I withdrew \$13.34 and expended same in caring for the Jacob Foster lot in cemetery, leaving a balance of \$50.00 on deposit.

Respectfully submitted,

LUCIAN D. TINKER,
 Sexton.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

RECORD OF TRUST FUNDS AND INVESTMENTS

School fund, invested in town note,	\$1,005 25
Legacy of Asa Way, invested in town note,	747 50
Maria A. Giffin fund, invested in town note,	500 00
J. M. Howard fund, invested in Keene Savings Bank,	200 00
Mary A. Bingham fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	300 00
Julia A. Buss fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	100 00
Washburn-Booth fund, invested in town note,	150 00
Shepardson fund, invested in town note,	150 00
Mary E. Howe fund, invested in town note,	125 00
Sarah A. Burnap fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	250 00
George E. Reed fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	300 00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

School funds:	
Received from town,	\$35 18
Paid to school district,	35 18
Legacy of Asa Way:	
Received from town,	\$15 16
Paid to school district,	15 16
Maria A. Giffin fund:	
Balance on hand at beginning of year,	22 07

Income during year,	17 50
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	\$39 57
Expended during year,	17 50
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	\$22 07
J. M. Howard fund:	
Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$11 30
Income during year,	8 00
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	\$19 30
Expended during year,	8 00
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	\$11 30
Mary A. Bingham fund:	
Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$60 00
Income during year,	12 00
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	\$72 00
Julia A. Buss fund:	
Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$4 40
Income during year,	4 00
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	\$8 40
Expended during year,	4 00
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	\$4 40
Washburn-Booth fund:	
Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$4 00
Income during year,	4 00
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	\$8 00
Expended during year,	4 00
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	\$4 00

Shepardson fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$2 75
Income during year,	6 00
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	\$8 75
Expended during year,	5 00
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	\$3 75

Mary E. Howe fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$2 33
Income during year,	5 00
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	\$7 33
Expended during year,	6 00
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	\$1 33

Sarah A. Burnap fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$8 33
Income during year,	10 00
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	\$18 33
Expended during year,	10 74
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	\$7 59

George E. Reed fund, received Oct. 1, 1923:

AVAILABLE FOR NEXT YEAR

Cash on hand,	\$24 14
Interest due,	106 23
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	\$130 37

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. C. LEWIS,
 GEORGE F. GEE,
 WARREN M. DAVIS,

Trustees of Trust Funds.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DEBIT

Jan. 31, 1923, cash on hand,	\$12 59
Received from fines,	5 78
	<hr/> \$18 37

CREDIT

Paid Geo. F. Gee for account book,	\$2 25
Balance, cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1924,	16 12
	<hr/> \$18 37

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE N. WRIGHT,

GEORGE F. GEE,

For Trustees.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Uncollected taxes, 1918,	\$62 59	
Collected,	34 00	
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Outstanding Jan. 31, 1924,	.	\$28 59
Uncollected taxes, 1919,	\$171 52	
Outstanding Jan. 31, 1924,		\$171 52
Uncollected taxes, 1920,	\$427 95	
Interest,	8 30	
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		\$436 25
Collected,	\$38 16	
Interest,	8 30	
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		\$46 46
Outstanding Jan. 31, 1924,		\$389 79
Uncollected taxes, 1921,	\$760 26	
Interest,	6 63	
		\$766 89
Collected,	\$40 14	
Interest,	6 63	
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		\$46 77
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Outstanding Jan. 31, 1924,		\$720 12

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. AYER,
Collector.

Jan. 31, 1924.

Uncollected taxes, 1922,	\$1,334 47	
Collected taxes,		\$1,334 47
Interest,		47 22
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Total,		\$1,381 69

Respectively,

A. W. PHELPS,
Collector.

July 7, 1923,

1923 taxes submitted to me for collection as follows:

188 polls at \$5.00,	\$940 00	
11 polls at \$3.00,	33 00	
	<hr/>	\$973 00
12 polls abated at \$5.00,	\$60 00	
2 polls abated at \$3.00,	6 00	
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		\$907 00
Collected,		\$907 00
Property tax,	\$8,790 69	
Property tax abated,	34 07	
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		\$8,756 62
Tax on national bank stock,		57 00
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		\$8,813 62
Interest,		3 93
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		\$8,817 55

Property tax collected,	\$7,621 89
Interest collected,	3 93
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	\$7,625 82
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Uncollected taxes,	\$1,191 73

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. PHELPS,

Collector.

Jan. 31, 1924.

The following is a list of abatements, year 1923:

POLL TAXES

John Robinson, paid in New York,	\$3 00
Verne Champney, paid in Keene,	5 00
Daisy Champney, paid in Keene,	5 00
Laura Champney, under age,	5 00
Don J. Champney, non-payment,	5 00
Bertha L. Champney, non-payment,	5 00
Perley H. Champney, non-payment,	5 00
Edith A. Champney, non-payment,	5 00
Eva Bolio, non-payment,	5 00
Lewis Feuer, non-payment,	5 00
Rosa Feuer, non-payment,	5 00
Russell Radcliffe, paid in Keene,	3 00
Clifton O. Whittemore, moved away,	5 00
Ruby Whittemore, moved away,	5 00
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	\$66 00

PROPERTY TAXES

Don J. Champney, non-payment,	\$1 11
Bertha L. Champney, non-payment,	1 85

Leslie Sweeney, non-payment,	1 54
Lawrence Carey, moved away,	1 85
Caleb Carey, moved away,	12 32
George Forbes, over-taxation,	15 40
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	\$34 07

JAMES F. PERKINS,
 ROBERT CARPENTER,
 GEO. F. GEE,
 Selectmen of Marlow.

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

CONTAGIOUS CASES DURING YEAR

Whooping cough,	3
Measles,	5

AMOUNT EXPENDED

Compensation of health officer, 1923,	\$10 00
Compensation of health officer, balance 1922,	10 00
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	\$20 00

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. HATCH,
Health Officer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have examined the books and accounts of the selectmen, treasurer, trustees of trust funds, collector of taxes, overseer of the poor, trustees of town library, sexton, road agent and town clerk and find them correctly cast and sufficiently vouched for.

GEORGE N. WRIGHT,
Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Members of the School Board of Marlow:

In the year 1846, in the city of Springfield, Mass., a certain arithmetic test was given to ninth grade pupils of the age 15 years and 6 months, average. The average of the grades secured by the pupils who took the test was 29.41%. In 1923 the same test was given, unannounced, to the Marlow eighth grade, and the Marlow pupils secured a rating of 75%. This is the best possible answer to the often stated criticism, "The teaching of arithmetic is not as good as it was in the good old days." It is of interest to note that the average grade of 5,000 children, throughout the state of New Hampshire, in 1923, was 49.26% against the 29.41% in 1846.

Spelling, too, was not better taught in the good old days. For a spelling test given in 1846 resulted in an average grade of 40.65%. But the children of Marlow spelled a list of words of about equal intrinsic difficulty, in the year 1923, with a grade of 87%. The average for the state was 67.24%.

The use of standardized tests has resulted in a constant improvement of the teaching of the various subjects. In November, 1923, the superintendent reported to you the result of a standard test in reading, arithmetic, spelling, history and literature, science and nature study, grammar and composition.

This test was to show how much above or below the expectation of what children should know concerning these subjects at the actual age of each child taking the tests, the children of Marlow actually were. The results were these: In the grammar room 36% are one year above; 10% are two years above; 5% are three years above; 25% are at grade. In

other words, 76% of the school is at an educational point equal to their grade or as much as three years ahead of the knowledge expected of children of their age. In the primary room 66% is at grade or one year ahead.

The superintendent calls attention to the fact that new toilets are badly needed; and that the children still lack a suitable playground.

The remodeling program has brought Marlow steadily forward. Much remains to be done; but the unanimity of the present board as regards improving conditions until Marlow children have excellent housing accommodations promises much.

The superintendent desires to express his appreciation for the ever present courtesy and co-operative spirit shown him, and the sound advice given him in regard to local schools and their problems. His appreciation of the teaching force has been too often stated to need further comment.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWTON CHASE,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

The following is the report of the Marlow School Board for the fiscal year ending July 1, 1923, and does not include the report of the school work now in progress.

During the year we have been able, through the efforts of Mrs. Douglas, giving a play which was liberally patronized by the public, to put hyloplate blackboards in both school rooms, and also a sanitary drinking fountain for the primary room.

Adjustable window shades have been furnished for both rooms.

We would be glad to have interested citizens visit the rooms and note the result of improvements.

The teachers were mentioned in last year's report and this year's teachers are not due to be reported here.

We continually need the co-operation of the public.

Respectfully submitted,

L. A. SALTZGIVER,

SARAH E. PHELPS,

School Board.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

From July 1, 1922, to June 30, 1923

Cash on hand July 1, 1922,	\$5 17
Received from town treasurer,	2,670 20
Received school fund interest,	35 18

Received, Asa Way legacy,	15 66
Received, school tuition,	43 00
Received, sale material,	
Received, state aid,	1,220 04
Received, transportation, from Stoddard,	125 00
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Total receipts for the year,	\$4,114 25

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES, 1922-23

Salaries of district officers,	\$84 00
Superintendent's salary,	76 94
Truant officer and school census,	20 63
Expenses of administration,	9 18

Expenses of instruction:

Teachers' salaries,	\$1,650 00
Text books,	31 38
School supplies,	64 08
Other expenses of instruction,	72 03
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	\$2,008 24

Operation and maintenance of school plant:

Janitor service,	\$67 50
Fuel,	62 00
Water, light and janitor supplies,	10 35
Minor repairs and expenses,	535 28

Auxiliary agencies and school activities:

Medical inspection,	\$36 00
Transportation of pupils,	951 50
High school tuition,	132 50
Other special activities,	4 00

Fixed charges:	
Insurance,	\$10 00
Interest and other charges:	
Tax for state wide supervision, \$2 per capita,	\$136 00
Payment of bills from previous year,	55
Total payments for all purposes,	\$3,953 92
Total cash on hand, end of year, June 30, 1923,	160 33
Grand total,	\$4,114 25

CURRENT EXPENDITURES, (ITEMIZED)

1. Salaries of district officers:	
Luther A. Saltzgiver, school board,	\$30 00
Ivan F. Huntley, school board,	20 00
Sara E. Phelps, school board,	15 00
Gertrude M. Perkins, treasurer,	12 00
Sara E. Phelps, clerk,	5 00
W. M. Davis, auditor for 2 years,	2 00
	\$84 00
2. Superintendent's salary,	
	\$76 94
3. Truant officer and school census:	
Roy D. Huntley,	\$20 63
4. Expenses of administration:	
Sara E. Phelps, stationery and postage,	\$3 54
H. L. Chase, office supplies, test cards, postage, etc,	5 64
	\$9 18

5. Teachers' salaries:

L. Alice Douglas,	\$900 00
Doris M. Fletcher,	750 00
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	\$1,650 00

6. Text books:

F. M. Ambrose & Co.,	\$14 02
Laidlaw Brothers,	3 00
Silver, Burdett & Co., arithmetics,	4 13
D. C. Heath & Co., histories,	2 61
Houghton, Mifflin Co., arithmetics,	5 76
Milton Bradley Co.,	1 86
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	\$31 38

7. Scholars' supplies:

Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,	\$51 04
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	4 59
Milton Bradley Co.,	5 87
Funk & Wagnall Co.,	2 58
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	\$64 08

8. Other expenses of instruction:

J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$30 75
World Book Co.,	10 46
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, map and globe,	24 87
Funk & Wagnall Co.,	4 40
School district of Charlestown,	20
H. L. Chase, telephoning and telegraphing,	1 35
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	\$72 03

9. Janitor service:

Stanley Sawyer,	\$15 50
Ralph Elliott,	27 00
Walter Andrews,	25 00
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	\$77 50

10. Fuel:

Ralph Elliot, carrying wood in basement,	\$2 00
Geo. C. Lewis, 7½ cords sawed wood,	60 00
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	\$62 00

11. Janitor's supplies:

Nichols and Newton, dustbain,	\$5 35
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, water cooler,	5 00
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	\$10 35

12. Minor repairs and expenses:

Robinson & Brett Co., flooring,	\$75 08
W. H. Campbell, hauling flooring,	8 22
Arthur Hayes, labor on floors,	17 50
Ivan Huntley, labor on floors,	10 50
Robinson Brett Co., flooring,	65 00
A. W. Phelps, labor on floor,	1 00
L. A. Saltzgiver, labor on floor,	12 75
S. O. Davis, labor on floor,	6 00
Leon Davis, labor on floor,	1 20
William Johnson, labor on floor,	1 60
Dan Winham, labor on floor,	3 60
Irving Sawyer, labor on floor,	3 60
Geo. Mansfield, cleaning toilet,	50
Ora Winham, cleaning windows,	2 50
A. W. Phelps, measuring roads, etc.,	1 25
L. A. Saltzgiver, paint and labor,	5 00
Spencer Hardware Co., paint and brush,	4 80
P. E. Fox, paint,	2 00
L. A. Saltzgiver, kalsomining,	8 50
Ora Winham, cleaning floors,	2 40
Ora Winham, cleaning school,	75
I. F. Huntley, cleaning and labor,	6 00
L. A. Saltzgiver, paint and labor,	5 70

P. E. Fox, nails and bolts,	4 58
E. L. Britton, freight,	75
Nichols and Newton, freight,	5 50

\$256 28

13. Medical inspection:	
Dr. H. G. Williams, examining children,	\$36 00

14. Transportation:	
Edgar Murdough,	\$641 50
J. E. Dillant,	589 00

\$1,230 50

15. High school tuition:	
William Bridgham, fall term,	\$20 00
Gladys Mowry, fall term,	20 00
Bayard Huntley, 3 terms,	55 00
Myron Jefts, 2 terms,	37 50

\$132 50

16. Other special activities:	
Vietrola records,	\$3 00
Diplomas for eighth grade,	1 00

\$4 00

17. Insurance,	\$10 00
18. Debt of previous year,	\$ 55
19. Per capita tax, state-wide supervision,	\$136 00

Respectfully submitted,

LUTHER A. SALTZGIVER,

SARA E. PHELPS,

School Board.

MARLOW BUDGET, 1924-1925

(Overdrafts refer to monies spent beyond expectation of budget reported to State Board)

1. School money:

(a) Support of schools, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1% tax,	\$1,717 55
(b) Overdraft on salaries, teaching force,	150 00
(c) Minor repairs and expenses,	200 28
(d) Salaries of local district officers and expenses including census and truancy,	125 00
(e) Superintendent's salary,	125 00
(f) Overdraft on transportation,	150 00
(g) High school and academy tuition,	310 00
(h) Per capita tax,	142 00

\$2,819 83

2. Income expected:

(a) Dog licenses,	70 00
(b) Income from local trust funds,	50 64

\$120 64

Amount needed, \$2,698.99 (to balance).

3. Recommended to raise, \$2,700 00

Amount raised last year, 2,600 00

Increase of \$100.00.

4. Amount of money held by district to credit of state board,

\$525 69

Additional amount (estimate only) of state aid,

Dec. 1924,

500 00

\$1,025 69

5. Total amount of budget, 1924-1925 (\$2,600 plus
 \$1,025.69), \$3,625 69

6. Proposed expenditures:

Salaries of teaching force,	\$1,800 00
Administration and supervision,	250 00
Transportation,	1,200 00
Textbooks and supplies,	150 00
Maps and tests,	50 00
Medical inspection,	50 00
Fuel,	70 00
High school tuition overdue,	55 00
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	\$3,625 00

Figures given in paragraph 6 can only be approximates
 at this time in school year.

SARA E. PHELPS,
 Secretary of the Board.

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1923.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Jan. 7	Everet Raymond	M	S	Perley H. Champney	Edith A. Castor	Teamster	Marlow	Keene	27	26
" "	Helen Ruth	F	S	Perley H. Champney	Edith A. Castor	Teamster	Marlow	Keene	27	26
Feb. 23	Gladys Ruby	F	L	Clif n O. Whittenmore	Nancy R. Carey	Fireman	Athol, Ms.	Guilford, Vt.	35	25
Apr. 10	Lena Bertha	F	L	Lawrence Carey	Hattie M. Taylor	Teamster	Wendall, Ms.	Wendall, Ms.	25	21
May 4	Grace Agnes	F	L	Robert Carpenter	Josephine Murdough	Farmer	Surry	Marlow	28	25
June 11	Elizabeth Treasa V.	F	L	Arthur J. Hayes	Josephine P. Field	Lawyer	Suncook	Olin, Ct.	36	23

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1923.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
June 4	Haverhill	Wm. H. Campbell	Marlow	48	Salesman	Braintree, Vt.	Art'r C. Campbell Em'l L. Thurston	Braintree, Vt.	2d	Rv. H. A. Cooper E. Haverhill
Sept. 2	Hancock	Eva B. Radcliffe	Marlow	44	At home	Marlow	John C. Strickland Mary A. Giffin	Lempster Marlow	1st	Rv. E. W. Eldridge
		Milan R. Miller	Marlow	25	Laborer	Marlow	Perley M. Miller May E. Heath	Gilsum Gilsum	1st	Hancock
		Lila V. Bates	Gilsum	32	At home	Sullivan	Chas. A. Bates Lora Davis	Gilsum Gilsum	1st	
Oct. 6		Karl F. Huntley	Marlow	33	Farmer	Marlow	Orris' n C. Huntley Flora Baker	Lempster Marlow	2d	Rv. C. E. Libby
Nov. 3		Kathlene E. Butler	Chesterfield	22	At home	Westmoreland	Walter Butler Alice Bennett	Chesterfield Stoddard	1st	Newport
		Fred Murdough	Marlow	22	Laborer	Marlow	E. N. Murdough Joseph A. Pollard	Stoddard Lempster	1st	Rv. O. E. Hardy
Nov. 29		Florence E. Blake	Marlow	15	At home	So. Wallingford [Vt]	Sylvester O. Blake Wind M. Pollard	Fairfax, Vt. So. Acworth	1st	Alstead
		Charles F. Miller	Marlow	50	Sawyer	Marlow	Isiah Miller Emma K. Gassett	Marlow Acworth	2d	Rv. A. T. Brooks
		Maud N. Harvey	Dorchester	31	Nurse	Marlow	Jas. F. Harvey Margaret Taylor	Acworth	1st	Roxbury, Ms.

*What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1923.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n	Place of Birth.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.							
Jan. 7	Everet R. Champney				Marlow	M	S	Marlow	Keene	Perley H. Champney	Edith A. Castor
Feb. 18	Hen K. Brown	85	5	20	Marlow	F	S	Marlow	Keene	Perley H. Champney	Edith A. Castor
Feb. 26	Ellen J. Miller	62	11	7	Sullivan	F	W	Sullivan	Sullivan	Dauphin W. Spaulding	Elanor Kingsbury
Mar 10	Lizzie I. Tyler	67	4		Milford	F	M	Sterling, Ms.	Townsend, Ms.	Putnam Tyler	Lucy Seaver
Apr. 23	Hannah F. Petts	84	7	24	Nelson	F	M	Nelson	Stoddard	David Petts	Rhoda Stevens
May 2	Florence M. Hubbard	16	7	27	Orford	F	S	Munro, Vt.	Orfordville.	Wm. E. Hubbard	Ida B. Hall
May 21	Harry W. Orr	69	11		Wheeling, W. Va.	M	M	Hollid's Cove W	Wheeling, W. Va.	James C. Orr	Mary F. Connolly
Sept. 25	Sarah A. Bennett	89	11		Hadley	F	M	Nelson		John Barrett	
Oct. 27	Edward R. Bain	74	5	2	Galesburg, Ill.	M	M	Canada	Canada	Archie Marquis	Eliza Parker
Nov. 8	David Marquis	42	5	15	Gerry's Island, Can.	M	S	Marlow	Bristol	Francis H. Champney	Leonia LaMay
" 10	Francis E. Champney	56	5	15	Keene	M	S	Marlow	Springfield, Vt.	Horace Kuncritt	Lucina Randall
" 10	Eunice T. Young	56	4		Weathersfield, Vt.	F	M				

*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HORATIO W. HATCH,
Town Clerk.

